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Senior Vice-President Maddie Amato, President Dewell Narvaez, and Secretary Lavern Stennett.

Seniors Elect Class Officers

by Maria Mojica

On October 9 senior class elections were held in senior official classes. Those running for office were Dewell Narvaez and Lavern Stennett for senior class president, Kisia Bannister and Maddie Amato for senior class vice-president, and Elba Melendez and Anabel Rivera for senior class secretary. Those elected are President Dewell Narvaez, Vice-President Maddie Amato, Secretary Anabel Rivera and Corresponding Secretary Lavern Stennett. Those students who ran for the offices were nominated by the Senior Council, which is composed of representatives from all senior official classes.

Our newly elected class president, Dewell Narvaez, with the aid of his Cabinet and Senior Council hopes to achieve new and better activities for this year's seniors. "But, we need the help of all the student body," stated Dewell. His first project is to organize a Music Club, which, when assembled, will serve as band for Senior Night, dances and other activities. He explained that he felt good after the election results were announced and that he has already turned his mind to responsibilities ahead.

These fresh spirits along with fresh ideas is starting to make this senior year look promising.

Student Analysis: Bushwick Budget Cuts

By Kisia Bannister

This year became a tragic year for the *Bushwick Bulletin* and the *Harvest*.

As you know the *Bushwick Bulletin* is our school newspaper. It tells us what's happening in our school. It covers the sports activities, senior activities, and just about everything happening in school.

The *Harvest* is also an important print publication. It's the literary magazine that's put out by the students. This magazine portrays the qualities and achievements of the students at Bushwick.

During the year some students take Creative Writing in order to write poems and stories. They want not only the yearbook to look back on but also *The Harvest* to remember what they have written and reminisce about their good old days at Bushwick.

The *Bushwick Bulletin* and the *Harvest* have suffered as a result of budget cuts. The budget cut involves the S.A.F. (Students Activities Fund).

Each school gets approximately \$2.90 for each student. This money goes into funds to be shared by the various activities. The more students a school has, the more money it receives. Unfortunately, Bushwick has fewer students than some other schools. Therefore, Bushwick gets less money.

The money that was given to the *Bushwick Bulletin* last year was \$2000. This year it was cut by 20%. So, the *Bulletin* only has \$1600 to get the printing done, which means that the newspaper won't be anything fancy.

As for the *Harvest*, last year the printing cost was \$1000, and that was getting off a little cheap. This year the *Harvest* was also cut by 20%. Therefore, the *Harvest* has only \$800 for printing, so don't expect anything in living color because it's impossible. There were only a few color pages last year, but this year there probably won't be any.

Students, teachers, get a little Bushwick spirit! I urge all, to please support your school paper and literary magazine. All seniors, especially, do what you can for your school now while you still have a chance. Be proud to say you did something for your school. Subscribe so you can look back and reminisce about your past school days at Bushwick.

Bushwick On the Air

By Madelyn Lopez

This year Bushwick will be one of many high schools participating in the Community Correspondent Program sponsored by the WXLO radio station in New York.

The program's purpose is to keep the different communities aware of what is happening in the local high schools. Because it is difficult for public services, such as radio stations, to keep in touch with every group in New York City, WXLO will keep in continuous contact with the school through a correspondent.

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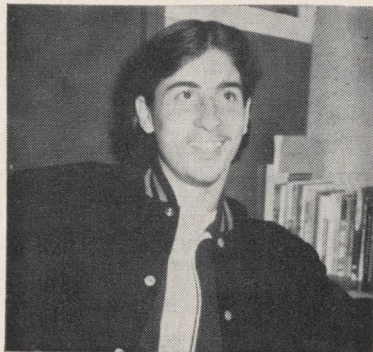
WXLO is greatly interested in obtaining information on sports events. Scores of games will be phoned in to the WXLO newsroom on the evening of the event. WXLO is also interested in receiving news about other extra-curricular activities taking place throughout the school year. This information will be announced on the air during the news broadcast.

Info Required

All teams are urged to contact the *Bulletin* staff with information about their activities, including the schedule of play. Any other information about school events may also be passed on to WXLO through the *Bushwick Bulletin*. All information would be appreciated as much in advance as possible.

Stay tuned to WXLO, 98.7 F.M., for news of Bushwick team scores and events during the school year.

Miguel Breaks School Record



Lightning fast Miguel.

by Miriam Colon

Miguel Pla, member of the Boys' Swimming Team at Bushwick, broke the school's eight year old record in the 100 yard breaststroke on October 17, 1973. With his lightning fast speed, Miguel was able to break the old record of 1:13.3 and set a new one of 1:12.6. Congratulations, Miguel!!!



Mr. Rosenberg poses with his troupe.

Yearbook Staff Gets to Work

By Madelyn Lopez

A new faculty advisor and staff of seniors have preparations for the 1974 yearbook underway. Mr. W. Rosenberg is the new advisor for the *Drummer*. This position was formerly held by Miss A. Conway, who is now College Advisor. Mr. Rosenberg is fortunate to have a staff of thirty-six members aiding him during his first year as faculty advisor.

This year's staff includes Francine Saro and Pattie Robinson, Co-Editors-in-Chief; Jean Josephs, Associate Editor; Lai Sau Tong, Managing Editor; Carlos Agosto, Literary Editor; John Michel, Art Editor; Randolph

James and Sonia Feyjoo, Sports Editors.

"Togetherness" the Theme

After some deliberation the staff chose "togetherness" as their theme. Their purpose will be to show the great variety of people here in Bushwick and how they have established harmonious relationships. Mr. Rosenberg wishes to convert this year's *Drummer* into a literary as well as a photographic accomplishment. The *Drummer* will include stories and poems and photos based on its theme.

With its very energetic staff and only too eager faculty advisor, the '74 *Drummer* will surely be one that every Senior will want to enjoy always.



Mr. Wankmuller answers a student's question in his ESL class.

Potpourri of Students

by Maria Mojica

ESL (English as a Second Language) has been part of the Bushwick curriculum for the past three years. This program serves in a special way the foreign born student. The number of students in the ESL program totals about 200. They range from freshmen to seniors.

The program, which started teaching only the basics of speaking English, has now expanded into other departments in the school, such as, social studies, math, science, language, music and for the first time in the history of the program typing.

The students represent a variety of countries. Involved in the program are students from Puerto Rico, Ecuador, Nicaragua, Uruguay, Italy, the Dominican Republic, Colombia, Panama, Haiti, China, and Yugoslavia.

From the experience he has had as counselor to the foreign born for one year, Mr. Plotkin is very much impressed with the speed and motivation of the students. He also feels that the success of the program is due in part to the caliber of the teachers involved in the program.

Attendance is high; an average of 85% are present daily. Such steady attendance speaks well for both the curriculum of ESL and its personnel.

Thanks to the ESL program Bushwick High School has been able to bridge the gap between the foreign born student and his special needs in a new environment.

Editorials

Bulletin In Danger

The students, faculty and administration of Bushwick have been given one more chance by the *Bushwick Bulletin*. It is giving them a chance to demonstrate what real school spirit they have. We have faith that this generous and devoted group of people will not abandon us in our hour of need.

This September it was learned that the money budgeted to the *Bulletin* was to be cut by 20%. This cut along with a change in printers almost forced the *Bulletin* to cut its number of issues in half; so, instead of the eight we usually published per school year, we would publish only four a school year. These cuts meant that the *Bulletin* would soon become nothing more than four pages of old and worthless news. With this news in September the *Bulletin* seemed headed straight toward disaster.

Now, it's November, and things don't look so gray. Slowly, we are receiving some aid to our monetary problems. But, still we need the subscriptions and the support of everyone here at Bushwick; yes, we mean everyone. You cannot turn your backs on us now. A school newspaper is the backbone of a school. It's what keeps a school together; it helps promote school spirit, and, most of all, helps to give merit and recognition where and when needed and deserved.

Our fate is in your hands. The *Bushwick Bulletin* is a link between the student body, faculty, administration and school spirit. If we let this link break, then, Bushwick High School, there is no hope for you.

Is there a doctor in the house?

In a school of over 2,000 people, wouldn't you think that for reasons of safety and security the presence of a doctor or a registered nurse in the school at all times would be mandatory?

Think about it. At present, any teacher taught first aid can be assigned charge of the infirmary. It's true that a teacher taught first aid is of some help in case of an emergency, but after all, our safety and health requires greater consideration and attention. What we need is a doctor or a registered nurse present in the infirmary at all times!

There have been many incidents when students have had sudden illnesses, and all the teacher in charge could do was to accommodate the student with a wheel chair, help him to the couch in the infirmary, and call the parents to take the student home. However, a doctor or registered nurse can examine those in need of attention immediately and administer aid with more safety and efficiency, since each has both training and experience in medicine.

Wake Up to Brotherhood!

It seems that New Year's Day is the traditional day for turning over a new leaf. But why wait? Thanksgiving should be a day when you can thank God for all the things He has blessed you with. It's time that we should stop taking our fellow men for granted and show them a little consideration in order to promote brotherhood throughout the world.

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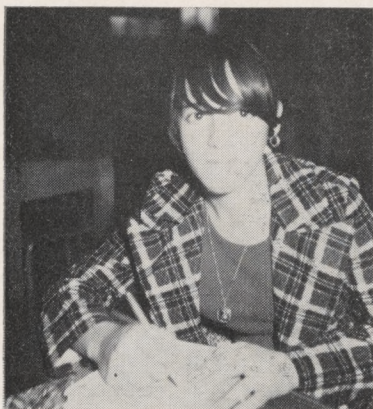
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Nancy Perez 5-6.

What do you think?

by Melvina Jackson

This Thanksgiving what do you have to be thankful for?

I am thankful that we have a day like Thanksgiving. It gives families a day to unite and to share each others thoughts. I am also grateful for the good food that we eat on Thanksgiving because some children aren't as fortunate as we are.

Jacqueline Joyner 4-1

Thanksgiving is a time to thank God for everything He has given us. It is the time when all my family comes together to give thanks. I'm thankful that I am fortunate to have some things other children are unable to have.

Elsie Neuendorf 7-1

It isn't every day that we sit with the ones we love and enjoy each other's company. For some reason or other Thanksgiving brings lots of joy, love and peace. That's what makes it different from every other day.

Nancy Perez 5-6

Sound--Off

By Patricia Hammond

As we well know, more than 50% of the students at Bushwick H.S. smoke cigarettes. This is just one of many reasons why the students in Bushwick should have some place to smoke while in school. I feel that the main argument against smoking in school regards a place for the students to smoke. We all know that the law states that smoking is prohibited in classrooms, but it doesn't say anything about smoking in specified rooms, lounges or (what might work in our case) a section of the field.

Many schools have experimented with a large room to allow smoking for the students. In most of the schools this choice has proven very successful. If a special room can't be found, another solution, which has been tried at Christ the King H.S., is to have a certain area of the outside put aside for people to smoke. This idea of a smoking area outside of the building has proven very successful at this school. A designated smoking area may

leave us with fewer problems. For example, students wouldn't be smoking in places, such as, the hallways, the stairways and the bathroom. Thus, the dean's job would be made easier.

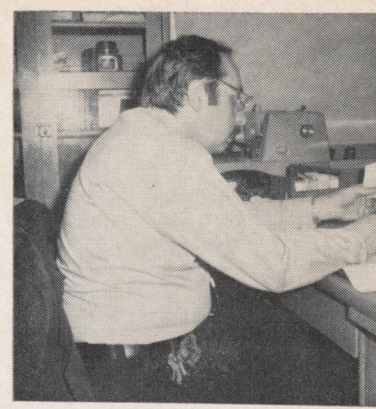
By Jose Martinez

I'm writing to sound off about school spirit.

I am on the yearbook staff, and we are collecting money to make a bigger and better yearbook. We are asking the teachers to help us because through them spirit is generated among the students. Some teachers gave us the excuse that the yearbook is not worth the money. Others told me that we should send a letter to the faculty. Some said that the yearbook never gives them recognition, etc.

I urge the teachers to think twice. It's your school as well as ours. The better we have it, the better you have it.

We recognize you as professionals, but professionals are not only concerned with their classroom but also with the student body. What are you?



Mr. Kingston, Faculty Advisor.

Newman Club Returns

By Luz Pimentel

Have you ever wondered what happens in the Attendance Office after most of us go home? Close up? Nope! 206 serves as the meeting place for most of Bushwick's Newman Club meetings. The Newman Club's chief motto and it's driving force is, "It is better to give than to receive."

Adele Nicholau, as President, Jose Martinez, as treasurer, and Luz Pimentel, as Vice-President, have many activities in store this year.

If you would like to help those less fortunate than yourself, the Newman Club is for you. We plan to make visits to the Willoughby Home for the Aged, some children's hospitals and have a drive for the poor. Last year we had a food drive for St. Leonard's. You have to be willing to sacrifice a little time for these activities, but the joy and satisfaction you'll receive will surpass any sacrifice you make.



Newman Club Members say "Cheese!"

Last year we had a very successful Communion Breakfast, and we plan to have a repeat performance this year.

"The Hunchback of Bushwackia" was a movie created by the Newman Club. It was so much fun doing last year that we plan to have another one and maybe have our own original radio station.

Of course, we have the regular outings to many different places of interest, but going as a group gives the park or whatever a different perspective because you're with people you like.

We have other activities planned, but the ones mentioned are major. If you have the slightest interest, come check it out with Mr. Kingston in room 206 or see one of the officers. Don't worry if you didn't make our first meeting on October 12th, we're having plenty of others.

Leave Us Alone!!

A few weeks ago, \$850 worth of valuable equipment belonging to the Bushwick Tigers' Basketball Team was stolen from a storeroom on the first floor. Some of the articles stolen were uniforms and warm-up jackets.

Not only does Bushwick lack in school spirit, but it's depressing to think that equipment belonging to the few that do participate in school activities should be stolen and vandalized by those apathetic fools who are so common to Bushwick.

It's a damn shame that this should happen in a school such as Bushwick, which offers so many activities in which students can participate. If you want to be the kind of person who doesn't believe in school spirit and does not participate in school activities, we don't mind a bit. But, if you're not going to join in, don't hinder our fun by stealing and vandalizing the property which we use. Be smart.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING



Aides Gerard, Jackson, Bryant, Hoffman and Agosto take a break to pose for our camera.

Personnel Side: Teacher Aides

By Cathy Eckenberger

They've been here for years—posted at bathrooms, stamping late passes, checking attendance in lunchrooms, patrolling hallways, and taking care of you when you feel sick. You are right—they are our teacher aides. When I asked them if they were happy with their jobs, each smiled and said, "Why shouldn't I be?"

Most of the teacher aides have a positive attitude toward Bushwick.

Mrs. Agosta (who's been here for nine years) finds that "Bushwick is run systematically. It's quiet, and, truthfully, there's no ethnic barrier." Mrs. Chiofalo (five years) agrees. Mrs. Jackson (four years) and Mrs. Gerard (seven years) agree that Bushwick is a good school. "It's beautiful. It's basically well-disciplined." Mrs. Novak (eleven years) says, "Bushwick is a good school, but through the years, there has been less discipline in the students."

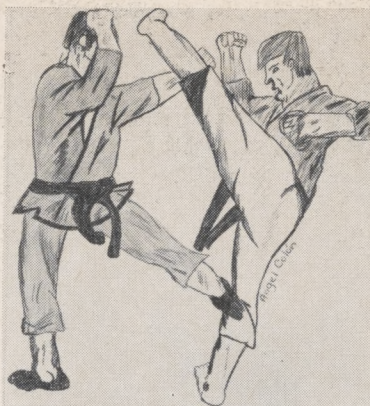
Mrs. Agosta, Mrs. Chiofalo and Mrs. Gerard feel they receive 99% respect from students, but some Bushwickites feel the aides are hounding them and on their backs. Mrs. Novak said, "There's been quite a change in the students. There's not enough discipline; I guess it's because of the changing times."

Speaking of changes, the only change they would like to see made has to do with the cafeteria. "It's a shame the way the students leave the cafe. It's dirty, and that's the way they leave it for the next group that comes in for lunch." Do we, the students, disrespect each other? Well, if you want others to respect you, you'll have to respect others; but first, respect yourself! What harm can it do to clean up after yourself; you're a mature person, aren't you?!

At the closing of the interview, I asked the aides if there had been an incident in their years at Bushwick which stood out in their minds. Mrs. Agosta told me she once gave first aid to a girl in the bathroom who was having an appendix attack. "It was frightening, but I tried to anticipate her needs." Mrs. Gerard frowned and said, "I tend to remember graduations. The students come and kiss you goodbye. You cry a little and expect never to hear from them again, but on the contrary, I always get Christmas cards from them."

Can you picture their faces when I asked them if they planned to stay at BHS? Well, they all grinned, content with their jobs, the familiar faces, the school itself. Mrs. Agosta quickly stated, "Oh yes. I plan to stay 'till the school burns down."

Movies:



Kung Fu

By Allan Montalvo

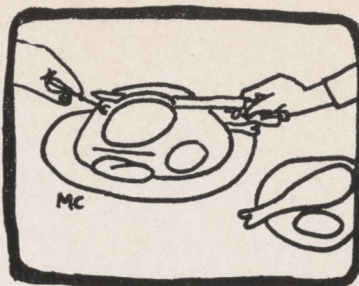
What are they? To some, an exploitation of ancient oriental art. To others, the long deserved acknowledgement of Asia's martial arts.

A funny thing happened last Spring. For the first time ever, a Hong Kong martial arts movie (of which there have been about a million made) was dubbed into English and shown in America. It was called the *Five Fingers of Death*, and it was pretty crude and very violent. Thousands went to see it. Following this flick, more movies of the same type were released in the United States during the summer and early autumn.

Perhaps you've seen a few of these Mandarin mash-out flicks. However, these films are little more than a raw business enterprise. It costs \$100,000 to \$300,000 to make one, and many gross more than half a

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How to Carve Your Turkey



Another year, another Thanksgiving, and another frustrating ordeal as men and women everywhere try to carve their turkeys and still leave it looking reasonably intact.

No, gentlemen, you don't just pull off the drumstick and forget about cutting up the rest of the turkey. And ladies, you don't pull it apart piece by piece, piling it onto the serving platter.

According to tradition, the head of the household usually carves the turkey. So, head, here's the proper way to do it.

First, remove the legs gently by pulling them away from the body, cutting through the joint between the leg and the body.

Next, make a deep horizontal cut into the breast, just above the wing. Insert fork in top of the breast and starting halfway up the breast, carve thin slices down to the cut, working upward on the breast (see illustration).

And so, folks, now that you've learned how to carve your turkey, pass the cranberries!

To Your Health

By Maddie Amato

(The second in a series on food and nutrition)

Minerals are essential to maintain a healthy body, free from deficiencies. At least nineteen minerals are found in the body. Calcium and phosphorous should be present in large quantities in order for our bodies to build and restore strong bones and teeth. So, if your tooth decay is increasing (in spite of what that toothpaste promised you), and your bones are showing signs of weakness in your mere sixteen years, start drinking milk, eating cheeses. Dairy products are high in calcium.

Minerals play an important role in the regulation and restoration of our bodies' nervous and muscular responses. They are important also to our hearts, keeping it ticking right on time.

Normal blood clotting depends on several factors, among them calcium and Vitamin K. The body, itself, produces this vitamin. It cannot be found in an outside source. However, there are numerous sources of calcium. A well-balanced diet should provide as much calcium as our bodies may require. Though milk and its by-products are excellent calcium sources, too much at a late age can cause hardening of the arteries. However, we teenagers have a few more years of malts ahead of us before milk has such a detrimental effect on our bodies.

Iron, which we need in only small amounts, is important to every living cell as well as to the hemoglobin count of the blood. It gives blood its red color and aids in the transportation of oxygen to the cells. If you are rather pale (check the palms of your hands and the pockets at the base of your eyes as well as the color in your cheeks) and tire easily even when rested, you may suffer from an iron deficiency. Listlessness and poor appetite are other symptoms of an iron deficiency.

Egg yolks, liver, kidney and hearts (which takes care of life's gross edibles) are rich sources of iron. Lean meats, oysters, shrimp and clams should maintain a healthy hemoglobin count. Other sources are whole grain cereals, potatoes, leafy green vegetables, kale, broccoli and beans as well as milk, cheese and figs.

So, eat, but eat those foods that will build your body. You don't want to just exist but live.

Editor's Note: The next issue will discuss vitamins.

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million after release. Also, since these movies have appeared, Americans have tipped and dabbled in the depths of the Asian martial arts by the thousands, causing more schools to open for instruction in these arts.

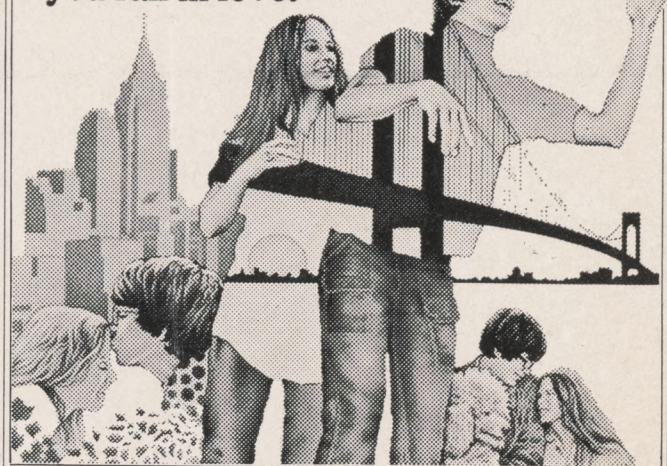
As a result of the large popularity of these Kung-Fu karate flicks, Warner Brothers made the first-ever martial arts movie to be made from the beginning, for an American audience, with American money and talent. It is entitled *Enter The Dragon*. It stars, the late, Bruce Lee, who was the biggest, quickest hitter on the martial arts pile-up. John Saxon, Ana Capri and

Jim Kelley also appear in the film.

A funny thing about these movies is that with the exception of *Five Fingers of Death*, *Enter the Dragon* and one or two other films, most of these flicks have the same plot and are badly directed. They also have most of the same actors and exaggerate the art far beyond belief. However, many of these movies have brought in record breaking crowds. Many of all races have seen or are going to see one.

While none of these films will ever receive an Academy Award for writing, direction, or acting, they certainly do make money.

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Track to Take Top

By Gregory McLetchie

The Bushwick Cross-Country Track Team is the smallest in the city, but soon may be decided the strongest in its division.

The ten man squad has so far won three meets, has no losses and is well on its way to competing with other division winners for the City Championships.

However, at the moment the major concern of Coach Rexer and his team is to win their division. The present standings of the six teams in Bushwick's division are: Bushwick in first place, of course, with Westinghouse in a close second with two wins and one hurtful loss to Bushwick in a technical decision; Automotive, Jefferson and Eli Whitney tied for third place, and in last place is Eastern District, who simply can't meet the competition this year.

Bushwick has still to compete against Automotive and Eli Whitney on October 16th and 23rd. "The outlook is good," says Coach Rexer. "Nothing can stop us now."

Of course, things are never quite all well. There is cause for concern over the size of the team. This fabulous ten man squad, as it is being whispered about by schools throughout the city, can be boiled down to eight regulars. This can be fatal in competing against schools such as South Shore or Brooklyn Tech, who have as many as seventy members on their Track Teams. However, there is an advantage to a team small in number. The members are very close-knit.

Skippering the team this season is, of course, the uncatchable Harold Ognelodh, though there have been some close attempts made by Gregory Haynes and Gregory McLetchie to reach him. Wayne Heywood is back, and he's twice as big and twice as strong. Pedro Lazala says he's the strongest Puerto Rican in the city this year, and he's going to prove it to Dennis Green, who still doesn't know whether he's supposed to be playing football or running track but is none the less a fine runner. To complete the team are Barrington McKenzie and Waldo Sutherland, both returning after being laid up with ankle problems.

Finally, in the midst of all the love, is Coach Rexer, who is dying to see some new faces. He's primarily interested in freshmen and sophomores willing to work.

For anyone interested, Coach Rexer is available in the Dean's Office during most of the day.

Volleyball Anticipates A Successful Season



The girls discuss strategy during time out period.



Coach Mrs. Kumar roots her girls to victory.

On October 2, the Girls' Volleyball Team at Bushwick played their first match of the season against Eastern District. The girls had to take the best of three games.

But, what might be the real proof of Bushwick's power came when, two days later on October 4, Bushwick's "B" division team beat Midwood's "A" division team with scores of 15-4, 15-3.

The match was an exciting one, especially the first game, which Midwood won 15-12. With three and one half minutes left to play, the score was 14-12 for Midwood, and an illegal hit charged on one of Bushwick's players caused Midwood to gain the winning point.

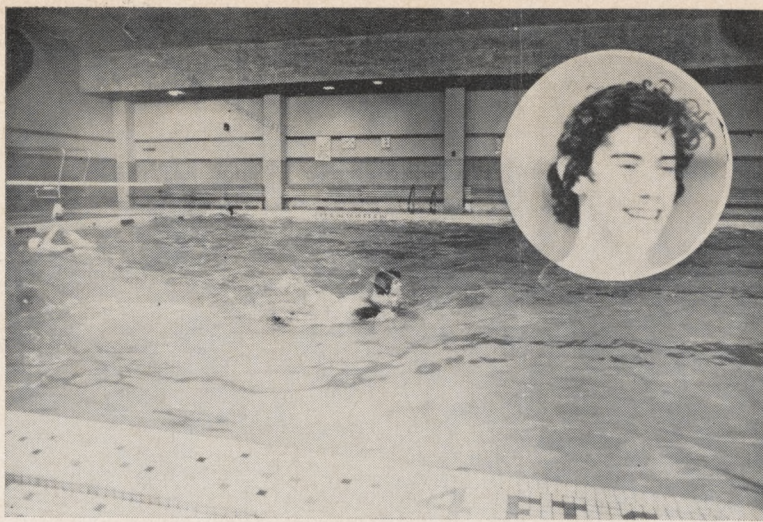
In the second and third games Midwood's girls were definitely not on the ball. They didn't call for their plays, so many of the balls went right past Midwood's girls, giving Bushwick a few points. Midwood's girls also seemed a bit nervous in the second game, making four illegal hits. Bushwick won the last two games and the match with scores of 15-4, 15-3.

Throughout the match, Bushwick's girls played like pros, calling the other players for their shots and asking for help in pulling through a play. They played in top form, demonstrating the power of definite teamwork. A girl whose playing was most outstanding in the first game is Elizabeth Solano, who speaks but a few words of English and who pulled through some terrific spikes and saves, aided by the rest of the team who set up the plays for her.

If you're interested, the players of this match for all three games were Deborah Mohr, Georgiana Dittman, Grace Camacho, Elizabeth Solano, America Spencer, and Sabrina St. Martin, who was replaced in the second and third games by Myrna Mendez.

This year, Bushwick will have a definitely "together" team, being led into victory by coach, Mrs. Kumar.

As of November 10, 1973, the Volleyball Team has a record of 10 wins and no losses.



Little Willie whizzes past one of his swimming comrades.

Little Guy Makes Good

William DeJesus may look like a short and scrunchy weakling who couldn't swim across his bathtub. But, this exceptionally talented young swimmer may surprise you yet.

Willie has been a member of the Boys' Swimming Team here at Bushwick for a year and ranks about the team's second best swimmer in butterfly, free-style, and backstroke. How, you may ask, did little Willie get to rank so high on the team? Years of practice and dedication is the answer.

Willie, now seventeen, started swimming four years ago when he began attending a summer camp. There he spent two consecutive summers swimming and working out, trying to become equally agile in all the various strokes. He came to us from

Halsey Junior High School; and, when he heard about the swimming team, he decided to try out and made it.

Willie prepared for this season by practicing daily at his summer job. Working at Red Hook Pool this past summer, he used every spare moment to work out.

Away from the pool Willie is an academic student. When he graduates from Bushwick, he plans to attend college and major in biology. Willie hopes to complete his college education and become a bio-chemist.

Willie is the perfect example of the fact that, no matter how big or short, or fat or skinny you may be, you can do what you want to do if you just put your mind to it and have enough dedication to get there.

Soccer Team Slowly Failing

by Noel Jones

The Bushwick Tiger Soccer Team, after starting off what should become a fine season, by crushing Tilden 4-2, is now losing momentum. Our losing streak began with the loss of a closely contested game to Boys' High School—Boys' High 2, Bushwick 1. Disaster struck again when we were outplayed by Wingate with a score of 2-0. Erasmus, our long-time enemy, slipped through our fingers once again this year.

The Tilden game was a display of the potential that this young spirited team has. Bushwick took command of the game from the first to the final whistle. Our first goal came from a thundering twenty yard kick from Harold Whyte, which left Tilden's goal-tender in bewilderment.

A few minutes later Tilden equalized through a corner kick. Bushwick again forged ahead as Noel Jones' penalty kick found the back of the net. The equalizer came five minutes before the end of the game, forcing us to play overtime. The two decisive goals came in the ten minutes overtime, one from outside left by Glenn Miller, the other from an out of the area shot by Noel Jones, securing Bushiwick's first victory of the season.

Although we are behind in our division, Mr. Mannix and his team are still very enthusiastic and hope to make a comeback in the second round.

The 'Guys' In Depth

By Dennis Green

September marked the opening of the cross country season with Bushwick looking as though it could be a contender. Although the squad is undermanned, the young men feel they can win it all. The squad started with eight men, but an injury to Waldo Sutherland makes it seven now. Waldo was injured during a dual meet against Westinghouse. Bushwick won that meet 25 to 27. Captain Harold Ognelodh, who was on one of three all-city cross country teams and fifth best two miles, finished first. Harold feels, "If the rest of the team can remain healthy for the few remaining meets, we will come out on top."

Wayne Heywood, newly elected captain, is trying to break Bushwick's quarter mile record held by Richard Gabriel at a time of 48.6. Wayne has been improving every week, cutting as much as ten seconds everytime he runs two and a half cross country miles.

Gregory Haynes came down last year in January, and now he's probably the second best distance runner on the team. Gregory has hopes of going below two minutes for the half mile this year.

Gregory McLetchie is the most improved runner on the team. Last outdoor season, it was hard for him to finish a two mile run. This summer he ran in the thirteen mile marathon at Central Park and finished among the top trophy winners.

Barrington McKenzie, third leg of the Bushwick two mile relay team thinks this is his big year. The smooth striding senior is basically a half miler. Barrington says, "I hope we can make it to Penn Relays this year and the other big meets in outdoor." If Barry lives up to his expectations, he could have many colleges bidding for him.

Pedro Lazala and Dennis Green are the unsung heroes of the track team because what they do doesn't show in the boxscore. This tandem must try to finish before the fifth man of each opposing team in order to win the meet.

Pedro Lazala ran into a number of problems last season and only had a productive half year. But, in that half he was the number two cross country man with an impressive time of 15:35 for the Van Cortlandt Park course.

Now a junior, Dennis Green is looking forward to a fruitful season. Last season he was a part of Bushwick's class-winning mile relay team at the New York Relays.

Our sprinters also look promising. Noel Jones, Rodrigue Prosper, Glen Miller all look good, but Cornell Howard is the most improved.

Coach Charles Rexer urges all students who are willing to run to come down during the week after the eighth or ninth period to the gym area.

Tigers Start Season

With the upcoming winter chills, you can sense that the Bushwick Tigers Basketball season is not far off.

This year the team has a new coach, Mr. Joel Diamond.

Mr. Diamond knows the strategy of the game well. He will coach a harshly disciplined team, having his "children" diving for loose balls, forcing the play, pouring on the pressure and being the aggressors.

Mr. Diamond will have two assistant coaches, Mr. J. Greenberg, and Mr. J. Clarkson, who, by the way, was the captain of the Tigers team ten years ago.

This year will prove to be interesting, and you can be sure that the Tigers will be on top of its division.

E. New York	Nov. 16	Home
Cleveland	Nov. 10	Away
Wingate	Nov. 30	Home
New H.S.	Dec. 4	Home
* Grady	Dec. 7	Home
* Automotive	Dec. 7	Away
E. New York	Dec. 14	Away
* Westinghouse	Dec. 17	Away
* Hamilton	Dec. 17	Home
* Eli Whitney	Dec. 17	Home
* Grady	Jan. 7	Away
* Automotive	Jan. 11	Home
* Westinghouse	Jan. 17	Home
New H.S.	Feb. 1	Away
* Hamilton	Feb. 6	Away
* Eli Whitney	Feb. 8	Home

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